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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, submitted herewith is a copy of an Official Communication issued in a corresponding Chinese Patent Application. For the Examiner's convenience, we have enclosed an English translation of the Chinese Official Communiction from the corresponding Chinese Patent Application and a completed Form PTO-1449.

Applicant has had this translation prepared by a professional translation service and Applicant presently has no reason to doubt that the translation is accurate. However, Applicant has not independently verified the accuracy of such translation, and

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Applicant respectfully requests that the English translation of the Chinese Official Communication be made of record in the subject application.

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